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Introduction and Reference

By Representative **M. Diaz**—

HB 1417—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Maricelly Lopez by the City of North Miami; providing for an appropriation to compensate Maricelly Lopez, individually and as personal representative of the Estate of Omar Mieses, for the wrongful death of her son, Omar Mieses, which was due to the negligence of a police officer of the City of North Miami; providing a limitation on the payment of fees and costs; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication of the required notice was attached.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Finance & Tax Subcommittee; Representative **Workman**—

HB 7097—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on sales, use, and other transactions; amending s. 212.0596, F.S.; revising the term "mail order sale" to specifically include sales of tangible personal property ordered through the Internet or from a dealer who receives the order in a foreign country; providing that certain persons who make mail order sales and who have a nexus with this state are subject to this state's power to levy and collect the sales and use tax when they engage in certain enumerated activities; specifying that certain dealers are not required to collect and remit sales and use tax unless certain circumstances exist; creating a rebuttable presumption that a dealer is subject to the state's power to levy and collect the sales or use tax under specified circumstances; specifying evidentiary proof that may be submitted to rebut the presumption; amending s. 212.06, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "dealer"; creating s. 212.0802, F.S.; creating an annual sales tax holiday; providing for determining the length of such sales tax holiday; providing for permanent reductions in the state tax rates imposed on sales, use, and other transactions under specified circumstances; requiring that the Department of Revenue develop a tracking system, in consultation with the Revenue Estimating Conference, to determine the amount of sales tax remitted by out-of-state dealers who would otherwise not be required to collect and remit sales taxes but for the amendments made by the act; requiring the department to submit an annual report to the Governor and Legislature; providing effective dates.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Finance & Tax Subcommittee; Representative **Workman**—

HB 7099—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corporate income tax; amending s. 220.03, F.S.; providing for the adoption of the 2013 version of the Internal Revenue Code; amending s. 220.13, F.S.; specifying the treatment by this state of certain depreciation and expensing of assets that are

allowed for federal income tax purposes; authorizing the executive director of the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules; providing for retroactive effect; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Veteran & Military Affairs Subcommittee; Representative **Raschein**—

HB 7101—A bill to be entitled An act relating to inhibiting encroachment of military bases; amending s. 288.980, F.S.; providing legislative findings; specifying functions of the Military Base Protection Program; authorizing the Department of Economic Opportunity to annually submit to the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund a list of nonconservation lands to be acquired for the purpose of buffering a military base against encroachment; requiring the board of trustees to consider recommendations of the Florida Defense Support Task Force; providing for applicability; authorizing additional uses of funds provided for the program; amending s. 253.025, F.S.; authorizing the board of trustees to acquire specified lands; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By Representative **Renuart**—

HR 9013—A resolution honoring the Florida National Guard and designating March 19, 2013, as "Florida National Guard Day" in the State of Florida.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

First Reading of Committee and Subcommittee Substitutes by Publication

By the Insurance & Banking Subcommittee; Representatives **Cummings, Oliva, Artiles, and R. Rodriguez**—

CS/HB 217—A bill to be entitled An act relating to money services businesses; amending s. 560.103, F.S.; providing a definition; amending s. 560.309, F.S.; authorizing the Financial Services Commission to use a portion of the fees that licensees may charge for the direct costs of verification of payment instruments cashed for certain purposes; amending s. 560.310, F.S.; requiring licensees engaged in check cashing to submit certain transaction information to the Office of Financial Regulation related to the payment instruments cashed; requiring the office to maintain the transaction information in a centralized database; providing rulemaking authority; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Local & Federal Affairs Committee; Representative **Nelson**—

CS/HB 249—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 97.0585, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the e-mail addresses of voter registration applicants and voters; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Health Innovation Subcommittee; Representatives **Mayfield, Nuñez, Adkins, Albritton, Antone, Artiles, Baxley, Berman, Beshears, Boyd, Brodeur, Caldwell, Campbell, Castor Dentel, Clelland, Coley, Combee, Cruz, Danish, Eagle, Edwards, Fasano, Fitzhagen, Gibbons, Gonzalez, Goodson, Grant, Hager, Hood, Hooper, M. Jones, Kerner, La Rosa, Lee, Magar, McBurney, McGhee, Moraitis, Pafford, Passidomo, Pigman, Pilon, Porter, Powell, Pritchett, Raburn, Raschein, Rehwinkel Vasilinda, Renuart, Richardson, K. Roberson, R. Rodrigues, Rogers, Rooney, Santiago, Slosberg, Smith, Stark, Steube, Stewart, Stone, Taylor, Van Zant, Waldman, A. Williams, and Workman**—

CS/HB 301—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cancer treatment; providing a short title; creating ss. 627.42391 and 641.313, F.S.; providing definitions; requiring that an individual or group insurance policy or contract or a health maintenance contract that provides coverage for cancer treatment medications provide coverage for orally administered cancer treatment medications; requiring that an individual or group insurance policy or contract or a health maintenance contract provide coverage for orally administered cancer treatment medications on a basis no less favorable than that required by the policy or contract for intravenously administered or injected cancer treatment medications; excluding grandfathered health plans from coverage and cost-sharing requirements; prohibiting insurers, health maintenance organizations, and certain other entities from engaging in specified actions to avoid compliance with this act; providing limits on certain cost-sharing requirements; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision and Information; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Regulatory Affairs Committee; Representative **Ingram**—

CS/HB 341—A bill to be entitled An act relating to uninsured motorist insurance coverage; amending s. 627.727, F.S.; providing that, under certain circumstances, specified persons who elect non-stacking limitations on their uninsured motorist insurance coverage are conclusively presumed to have made an informed, knowing acceptance of the limitations on behalf of all insureds; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Higher Education & Workforce Subcommittee; Representatives **Pigman and Mayfield**—

CS/HB 359—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public meetings; amending s. 1004.28, F.S.; providing an exemption from public meeting requirements for any portion of a meeting of the board of directors of a university direct-support organization, or of the executive committee or other committees of such board, at which the identity of a donor or prospective donor, any proposal seeking research funding from the organization, or a plan or program for either initiating or supporting research is discussed;

providing for review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Government Operations Subcommittee; Representatives **Moraitis, Artiles, Berman, Gibbons, Rooney, and Waldman**—

CS/HB 519—A bill to be entitled An act relating to military affairs; creating s. 115.135, F.S.; providing that an employee of the state or any county, municipality, or other political subdivision who is the spouse of a military servicemember may not be compelled to work overtime or extended work hours during active duty deployment of his or her spouse; prohibiting the imposition of a sanction or penalty upon such employee for failure or refusal to work overtime or extended work hours during the period of his or her spouse's active duty deployment; requiring an employing authority to grant a request by such employee for unpaid leave for specified purposes during the active duty deployment; providing a limitation on such unpaid leave; providing that the act fulfills an important state interest; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Local & Federal Affairs Committee; and Economic Development & Tourism Subcommittee; Representatives **Moraitis and Rogers**—

CS/CS/HB 537—A bill to be entitled An act relating to growth management; amending s. 163.3167, F.S.; providing that an initiative or referendum process for any development order is prohibited; providing that an initiative or referendum process for any local comprehensive plan amendments and map amendments is prohibited; providing an exception for an initiative or referendum process specifically authorized by local government charter provision in effect as of June 1, 2011, for certain local comprehensive plan amendments and map amendments; providing that certain charter provisions for an initiative or referendum process are not sufficient; providing legislative intent; providing that certain prohibitions apply retroactively; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the State Affairs Committee; Appropriations Committee; and Ethics & Elections Subcommittee; Representative **Schenck**—

CS/CS/CS/HB 569—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Election Code; repealing s. 106.04, F.S., relating to the certification and political activities of committees of continuous existence; prohibiting a committee of continuous existence from accepting a contribution after a certain date; providing for revocation of the certification of each committee of continuous existence on a certain date; requiring the Division of Elections of the Department of State to provide certain notifications to committees of continuous existence; amending ss. 101.62, 102.031, and 111.075, F.S.; conforming provisions; amending and reordering s. 106.011, F.S., relating to definitions applicable to provisions governing campaign financing; revising the definition of the term "candidate" to include a candidate for a political party executive committee; deleting the definition of the term "committee of continuous existence," to conform; conforming provisions and cross-references; amending s. 106.022, F.S.; conforming a provision; amending s. 106.025, F.S.; providing that tickets or advertising for a campaign fund raiser must comply with the requirements of political advertisements circulated before an election; amending s. 106.03, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 106.05, F.S.; revising the information that is required to appear on a campaign bank account for deposit of funds; amending s. 106.07, F.S.; revising reporting requirements for candidates and political committees; conforming provisions; amending s. 106.0703, F.S.; revising reporting requirements for electioneering communications organizations; amending s. 106.0705, F.S.; conforming provisions and cross-references; amending s.

106.08, F.S.; revising limitations on campaign contributions; conforming provisions and a cross-reference; amending s. 106.087, F.S.; conforming provisions; amending s. 106.11, F.S.; revising the information that is required to appear on bank account checks of candidates or political committees; revising information used to determine when debit cards are considered bank checks; amending s. 106.12, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 106.141, F.S.; specifying the amount of surplus funds a candidate may give to an affiliated party committee or political party; specifying the maximum amount of funds that certain candidates may transfer from a campaign account to an office account; expanding the permissible uses of office account funds; providing for retention of surplus campaign funds by a candidate for specified purposes; providing reporting requirements for surplus campaign funds; providing for disposition of the funds; modifying requirements for disposing of or transferring surplus funds; amending ss. 106.147, 106.17, 106.23, 106.265, 106.27, 106.32, 106.33, 112.3148, 112.3149, 1004.28, 1004.70, and 1004.71, F.S.; conforming provisions and cross-references; directing the Division of Elections to submit a proposal to the Legislature for a mandatory statewide electronic filing system; authorizing positions and providing appropriations; providing effective dates.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Civil Justice Subcommittee; Representatives **Pilon** and **Hutson**—

CS/HB 643—A bill to be entitled An act relating to clerks of the court; amending s. 28.13, F.S.; providing requirements for the storage of papers and electronic filings and requiring that they be stamped with the date and time of submission; requiring the clerk to retain control and custody of filed documents; amending s. 28.222, F.S.; authorizing the clerk to remove certain court records from the Official Records; amending s. 28.24, F.S.; deleting provisions exempting specified persons from service fees; amending s. 28.244, F.S.; increasing the threshold amount for automatic repayment of overpayments; amending s. 28.345, F.S.; requiring that the clerk provide access to public records without charge to certain persons, subject to a limitation and an exception; authorizing the clerk to provide public records in an electronic format under certain circumstances; amending s. 57.081, F.S.; clarifying that, with the exception of charges for issuance of a summons, the prepayment of costs is not required upon a certification of indigence; amending s. 57.082, F.S.; providing for the inclusion of certain filing fees in payment plans; amending s. 101.151, F.S.; clarifying when the office title "Clerk of the Circuit Court and Comptroller" may be used; amending s. 119.0714, F.S.; requiring that certain requests for maintenance of a public record exemption specify certain information; amending s. 194.032, F.S.; requiring that the property appraiser, rather than the clerk, provide the property record card to a petitioner regardless of whether the petitioner initiates evidence exchange; amending s. 938.30, F.S.; providing that the state is not required to pay fees to enforce judgment for costs and fines; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Healthy Families Subcommittee; Representatives **Harrell**, **Hood**, **S. Jones**, and **Pafford**—

CS/HB 689—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Kidcare program; amending s. 409.814, F.S.; providing presumptive eligibility for the Florida Kidcare program for children younger than a specified age; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Civil Justice Subcommittee; Representative **Moraitis**—

CS/HB 693—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dispute resolution; amending s. 682.01, F.S.; revising the short title of the "Florida Arbitration Code" to the "Revised Florida Arbitration Code"; creating s. 682.011, F.S.;

providing definitions; creating s. 682.012, F.S.; specifying how a person gives notice to another person and how a person receives notice; creating s. 682.013, F.S.; specifying the applicability of the revised code; creating s. 682.014, F.S.; providing that an agreement may waive or vary the effect of statutory arbitration provisions; providing exceptions; creating s. 682.015, F.S.; providing for petitions for judicial relief; providing for service of notice of an initial petition for such relief; amending s. 682.02, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the making of arbitration agreements; requiring a court to decide whether an agreement to arbitrate exists or a controversy is subject to an agreement to arbitrate; providing for determination of specified issues by an arbitrator; providing for continuation of an arbitration proceeding pending resolution of certain issues by a court; revising provisions relating to applicability of provisions to certain interlocal agreements; amending s. 682.03, F.S.; revising provisions relating to proceedings to compel and to stay arbitration; creating s. 682.031, F.S.; providing for a court to order provisional remedies before an arbitrator is appointed and is authorized and able to act; providing for orders for provisional remedies by an arbitrator; providing that a party does not waive a right of arbitration by seeking provisional remedies in court; creating s. 682.032, F.S.; providing for initiation of arbitration; providing that a person waives any objection to lack of or insufficiency of notice by appearing at the arbitration hearing; providing an exception; creating s. 682.033, F.S.; providing for consolidation of separate arbitration proceedings as to all or some of the claims in certain circumstances; prohibiting consolidation if the agreement prohibits consolidation; amending s. 682.04, F.S.; revising provisions relating to appointment of an arbitrator; prohibiting an individual who has an interest in the outcome of an arbitration from serving as a neutral arbitrator; creating s. 682.041, F.S.; requiring certain disclosures of interests and relationships by a person before accepting appointment as an arbitrator; providing a continuing obligation to make such disclosures; providing for objections to an arbitrator based on information disclosed; providing for vacation of an award if an arbitrator failed to disclose a fact as required; providing that an arbitrator appointed as a neutral arbitrator who does not disclose certain interests or relationships is presumed to act with partiality for specified purposes; requiring parties to substantially comply with agreed-to procedures of an arbitration organization or any other procedures for challenges to arbitrators before an award is made in order to seek vacation of an award on specified grounds; amending s. 682.05, F.S.; requiring that if there is more than one arbitrator, the powers of an arbitrator must be exercised by a majority of the arbitrators; requiring all arbitrators to conduct the arbitration hearing; creating s. 682.051, F.S.; providing immunity from civil liability for an arbitrator or an arbitration organization acting in that capacity; providing that this immunity is supplemental to any immunity under other law; providing that failure to make a required disclosure does not remove immunity; providing that an arbitrator or representative of an arbitration organization is not competent to testify and may not be required to produce records concerning the arbitration; providing exceptions; providing for awarding an arbitrator, arbitration organization, or representative of an arbitration organization with reasonable attorney fees and expenses of litigation under certain circumstances; amending s. 682.06, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the conduct of arbitration hearings; providing for summary disposition, notice of hearings, adjournment, and rights of a party to the arbitration proceeding; requiring appointment of a replacement arbitrator in certain circumstances; amending s. 682.07, F.S.; revising a cross-reference; amending s. 682.08, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the issuance, service, and enforcement of subpoenas; revising provisions relating to depositions; authorizing an arbitrator to permit discovery in certain circumstances; authorizing an arbitrator to order compliance with discovery; authorizing protective orders by an arbitrator; providing for applicability of laws compelling a person under subpoena to testify and all fees for attending a judicial proceeding, a deposition, or a discovery proceeding as a witness; providing for court enforcement of a subpoena or discovery-related order; providing for witness fees; creating s. 682.081, F.S.; providing for judicial enforcement of a preaward ruling by an arbitrator in certain circumstances; providing exceptions; amending s. 682.09, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the record needed for an award; revising provisions relating to the time within which an award must be made; amending s. 682.10, F.S.; revising provisions relating to requirements for a motion to modify or correct an

award; amending s. 682.11, F.S.; revising provisions relating to fees and expenses of arbitration; authorizing punitive damages and other exemplary relief and remedies; amending s. 682.12, F.S.; revising provisions relating to confirmation of an award; amending s. 682.13, F.S.; revising provisions relating to grounds for vacating an award; revising provisions relating to a motion for vacating an award; providing for a rehearing in certain circumstances; amending s. 682.14, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the time for moving to modify or correct an award; deleting references to the term "umpire"; revising a provision concerning confirmation of awards; amending s. 682.15, F.S.; revising provisions relating to a court order confirming, vacating without directing a rehearing, modifying, or correcting an award; providing for award of costs and attorney fees in certain circumstances; repealing s. 682.16, F.S., relating to judgment roll and docketing of certain orders; repealing s. 682.17, F.S., relating to application to court; repealing s. 682.18, F.S., relating to the definition of the term "court" and jurisdiction; creating s. 682.181, F.S.; providing for jurisdiction relating to the revised code; amending s. 682.19, F.S.; revising provisions relating to venue for actions relating to the code; amending s. 682.20, F.S.; providing that an appeal may be taken from an order denying confirmation of an award unless the court has entered an order under specified provisions; providing that all other orders denying confirmation of an award are final orders; repealing s. 682.21, F.S., relating to the previous code not applying retroactively; repealing s. 682.22, F.S., relating to conflict of laws; creating s. 682.23, F.S.; specifying the relationship of the code to the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act; providing for applicability; creating s. 682.25, F.S.; providing that the revised code does not apply to any dispute involving child custody, visitation, or child support; amending ss. 440.1926 and 489.1402, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 731.401, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing for treatment of arbitration provisions in a will or trust as an agreement for specified purposes; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Business & Professional Regulation Subcommittee; Representative **Holder**—

CS/HB 695—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tied house regulation; amending s. 561.42, F.S.; authorizing the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to impose administrative sanctions for violations of specified provisions of the Beverage Law under certain circumstances; prohibiting licensees from possessing or using certain coupons for malt beverages; removing a provision prohibiting distributors of beer from furnishing certain coupons to consumers; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Insurance & Banking Subcommittee; Representative **Ingram**—

CS/HB 823—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; creating s. 624.4212, F.S.; creating an exemption from public records requirements for proprietary business information submitted to the Office of Insurance Regulation; defining the term "proprietary business information"; providing exceptions; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Civil Justice Subcommittee; Representatives **Kerner** and **Spano**—

CS/HB 887—A bill to be entitled An act relating to termination of parental rights; amending s. 39.806, F.S.; providing that a parent's rights may be terminated if the court determines, by clear and convincing evidence, that the child was conceived as a result of an act of unlawful sexual battery; creating a

presumption that termination of parental rights is in the best interest of the child if the child was conceived as a result of an unlawful sexual battery; providing that a petition to terminate parental rights may be filed at any time; amending s. 39.811, F.S.; providing for severing of parental rights of only one parent if conception was the result of an unlawful sexual battery; providing for retroactive application; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Civil Justice Subcommittee; Representatives **Davis**, **Waldman**, **Clarke-Reed**, and **Stark**—

CS/HB 903—A bill to be entitled An act relating to adverse possession; amending s. 95.18, F.S.; revising terminology; requiring certain conditions to be met before real property is legally adversely possessed without color of title; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Civil Justice Subcommittee; Representative **Young**—

CS/HB 935—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida False Claims Act; amending s. 68.081, F.S.; revising a cross-reference; deleting a statement of purpose; amending s. 68.082, F.S.; deleting, revising, and providing definitions; revising conditions under which a person is liable for a specified civil penalty; amending s. 68.083, F.S.; revising terminology; revising language concerning who may intervene or bring a related action after a person files an action under the act; creating s. 68.0831, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Legal Affairs to issue subpoenas for specified purposes before the institution of civil proceedings; providing requirements for the content and service of subpoenas; providing that such subpoenas may not require specified protected documents or testimony; specifying that the department's power to require the appearance of witnesses or production of documents or other tangible evidence located outside the state is unaffected; providing for petitions to modify or set aside subpoenas; providing for orders to comply with subpoenas; providing for the examination of witnesses; providing for review of transcripts of testimony; authorizing the department to stipulate to protective orders of submitted documents and information; providing for natural persons who decline to testify or produce documents after asserting a privilege against self-incrimination to be ordered to testify or produce documents; providing for contempt to comply with such orders; providing for examination of testimony, answers, or materials by the person who produced such materials or answers; providing for construction; prohibiting specified actions by a person knowing or having reason to believe that a subpoena is pending; providing civil penalties; amending s. 68.084, F.S.; clarifying that the department may dismiss actions at any point; revising language concerning the costs to the department for continuing to receive pleadings and transcripts of an action after it has elected to withdraw; providing that the state may elect to pursue available alternative remedies, including administrative proceedings; specifying what constitutes a final finding or conclusion in an alternative proceeding that is binding on all parties to an action under the act; amending s. 68.085, F.S.; providing for successful plaintiffs to receive, in addition to a portion of the amount recovered, awards of expenses and attorney fees and costs; amending s. 68.086, F.S.; deleting references to awards of attorney fees to successful plaintiffs; revising provisions relating to awards of attorney fees to the department; amending s. 68.087, F.S.; revising terminology; revising provisions relating to dismissal of an action if substantially the same allegations or transactions as alleged in the action were publicly disclosed; amending s. 68.089, F.S.; providing for the treatment for statutes of limitations purposes of pleadings filed in interventions by the department; amending s. 68.09, F.S.; providing for estoppel as to certain matters following a final judgment or decree rendered in favor of the state or the Federal Government in certain criminal proceedings; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Local & Federal Affairs Committee; Representative **Harrell**—

CS/HB 977—A bill to be entitled An act relating to St. Lucie County Mosquito Control District, St. Lucie County; amending chapter 2003-365, Laws of Florida; revising the boundaries of the district; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication of the required notice was attached.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Local & Federal Affairs Committee; Representative **Workman**—

CS/HB 1013—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Technological Research and Development Authority, Brevard County; abolishing the authority; transferring all assets and liabilities of the authority to the county; repealing ch. 2005-337, Laws of Florida, relating to creation of the authority; providing effective dates.

Proof of Publication of the required notice was attached.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Civil Justice Subcommittee; Representative **Goodson**—

CS/HB 1125—A bill to be entitled An act relating to employers and employees; amending s. 34.01, F.S.; providing jurisdiction of county courts over wage theft civil actions; creating s. 448.115, F.S.; providing a definition for the term "wage theft"; creating a civil cause of action for wage theft; providing a procedure for filing of a civil action for wage theft; providing jurisdiction; requiring a claimant to notify the employer of the employee's intention to initiate a civil action; allotting the employer a specific time to resolve the action; providing a statute of limitations; requiring a claimant to prove wage theft by a preponderance of the evidence; prohibiting certain damages; authorizing a county, municipality, or political subdivision to establish a process by which a claim may be filed; prohibiting a local government from adopting or maintaining in effect a law, ordinance, or rule for the purpose of addressing unpaid wage claims; prohibiting the preemption of certain local ordinances governing wage theft; providing that any regulation, ordinance, or other provision for recovery of unpaid wages by counties, municipalities, or political subdivisions is prohibited and preempted to the state; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Government Operations Subcommittee; Representative **Albritton**—

CS/HB 1309—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the procurement of commodities and contractual services; amending s. 215.971, F.S.; providing additional information that must be included in an agency agreement that provides state financial assistance to a recipient or subrecipient; requiring each state agency to designate an employee to function as a grant manager for purposes of the agreement; requiring training for certain grant managers; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to establish and disseminate uniform procedures for grant management; requiring the grant manager to report certain information; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to perform audits of executed grant agreements; amending s. 215.985, F.S.; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to establish and maintain a secure contract tracking system; providing requirements for the system; requiring state agencies to post certain information on the contract tracking system within a specified timeframe; specifying information that must be posted on the contract tracking system; providing that records posted on the system may not contain confidential or

exempt information; requiring state agencies to redact confidential or exempt information prior to posting records on the system; providing a process for a party to the contract to request redaction of confidential or exempt information; providing notice requirements; providing that posting of information on the contract tracking system does not supersede the duty of a state agency to respond to a public record request; providing that a subpoena for certain contract information must be served on the state agency that is party to the contract; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer to adopt rules; defining the term "state agency"; authorizing the judicial branch, Department of Legal Affairs, Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, and Department of Financial Services to elect to comply with the posting requirements; renaming chapter 287, F.S.; amending s. 287.012, F.S.; providing and revising definitions; amending s. 287.042, F.S.; revising powers, duties, and functions of the Department of Management Services; providing an additional circumstance under which the department may proceed with a competitive solicitation or contract award process of a term contract as an alternative to the stay of such process pursuant to a formal written protest under the Administrative Procedure Act; authorizing the department to lead or enter into joint agreements with governmental entities for the purchase of commodities or contractual services that can be used by multiple agencies; amending s. 287.056, F.S.; eliminating provisions requiring certain inclusions in agency agreements; amending s. 287.057, F.S.; providing that contracts awarded pursuant to an invitation to bid shall be awarded to the responsible and responsive vendor that submits the lowest responsive bid; revising exceptions to the requirement that the purchase of specified commodities or contractual services be made only as a result of receiving competitive sealed bids, competitive sealed proposals, or competitive sealed replies; revising contractual services and commodities that are not subject to competitive solicitation requirements by virtue of being available only from a single source; providing that a contract for commodities or contractual services may be awarded without competition if the recipient of funds is established during the appropriations process; revising provisions relating to extension of a contract for commodities or contractual services; authorizing an agency to negotiate better pricing upon renewal of a contract; providing training requirements for contract managers responsible for contracts in excess of a specified threshold amount; providing that the Department of Management Services is responsible for establishing and disseminating the requirements for certification of a contract manager; requiring the department, in consultation with the Chief Financial Officer to maintain a program for online procurement of commodities and contractual services; amending s. 287.0571, F.S.; revising nonapplicability of a business case to outsource; amending s. 287.058, F.S.; defining the term "performance measure"; revising references within provisions relating to purchase orders used in lieu of written agreements for classes of contractual services; revising terminology; amending s. 287.076, F.S.; providing that Project Management Professionals training for personnel involved in managing outsourcings and negotiations is subject to annual appropriations; creating s. 287.136, F.S.; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to perform audits of executed contracts; creating reporting requirements; amending ss. 16.0155, 283.33, 394.457, 402.7305, 409.9132, 427.0135, 445.024, 627.311, 627.351, 765.5155, and 893.055, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Education Committee; Rulemaking Oversight & Repeal Subcommittee; and K-12 Subcommittee; Representative **Adkins**—

CS/CS/HB 7001—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the repeal of education provisions; amending s. 403.7032, F.S.; removing a requirement that each K-12 public school annually report to the county on recycled materials; repealing s. 1001.26(3), F.S.; removing duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority; repealing s. 1001.435, F.S., relating to a K-12 foreign language curriculum plan; repealing s. 1002.23(4), (6), and (9), F.S., relating to a parent-response center, submission of family involvement and empowerment rules by district school boards, and State Board of Education compliance review and enforcement under the Family and School

Partnership for Student Achievement Act; repealing s. 1002.32(10), F.S.; removing duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority; repealing s. 1002.361, F.S., relating to a direct-support organization for the Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind; repealing s. 1002.375, F.S., relating to a pilot project to award alternative credit for high school courses; repealing s. 1003.4285(1), F.S., relating to a standard high school diploma designation that indicates a student's major area of interest; repealing s. 1003.43, F.S., relating to general requirements for high school graduation; repealing s. 1003.433(5), F.S.; removing duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority; repealing s. 1003.453(2), F.S., relating to information on school wellness and physical education policies posted on Department of Education and school district websites; repealing s. 1003.496, F.S., relating to the High School to Business Career Enhancement Program; repealing s. 1004.05, F.S., relating to substance abuse training programs for specified public school personnel; amending s. 1004.435, F.S.; removing duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority; amending s. 1004.45, F.S.; removing unnecessary rulemaking authority; repealing s. 1004.62, F.S., relating to incentives for state university student internships to study urban or socially and economically disadvantaged areas; repealing s. 1004.77, F.S., relating to centers of technology innovation; repealing s. 1006.02, F.S., relating to provision of information to students and parents regarding school-to-work transition; repealing s. 1006.035, F.S., relating to a dropout reentry and mentor project; repealing s. 1006.051, F.S., relating to the Sunshine Workforce Solutions Grant Program; repealing s. 1006.09(1)(d), F.S., relating to duties of school principals with respect to annual reporting and analysis of student suspensions and expulsions; repealing ss. 1006.17 and 1006.70, F.S., relating to sponsorship of athletic activities similar to those for which scholarships are offered; repealing s. 1006.65, F.S., relating to safety issues in courses offered by public postsecondary educational institutions; repealing s. 1007.21, F.S., relating to readiness for postsecondary education and the workplace; repealing s. 1007.35(10), F.S.; removing duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority; repealing s. 1008.31(3)(d) and (e), F.S., relating to review and reporting duties of the Commissioner of Education with respect to consolidating paperwork under Florida's K-20 education performance accountability system; repealing s. 1009.68, F.S., relating to the Florida Minority Medical Education Program; amending s. 1009.85, F.S.; removing duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority; repealing s. 1012.58, F.S., relating to the Transition to Teaching Program; repealing s. 1012.71(6), F.S., relating to a pilot program for establishing an electronic management system for the Florida Teachers Lead Program; repealing s. 1013.231, F.S., relating to Florida College System institution and state university energy consumption reduction; repealing s. 1013.32, F.S., relating to exceptions to recommendations in educational plant surveys; repealing ss. 1013.42 and 1013.72, F.S., relating to the School Infrastructure Thrift (SIT) Program; repealing ss. 1013.502 and 1013.721, F.S., relating to A Business-Community (ABC) School Program; repealing s. 1013.64(7), F.S., relating to exceptions from Special Facility Construction Account requirements; repealing s. 1013.73, F.S., relating to effort index grants for school district facilities; amending ss. 120.81, 250.115, 409.1451, 1001.11, 1002.20, 1002.33, 1002.34, 1002.45, 1003.03, 1003.429, 1003.438, 1003.49, 1004.70, 1004.71, 1006.025, 1006.15, 1007.263, 1007.271, 1008.22, 1008.23, 1009.40, 1009.531, 1009.94, 1011.61, 1013.35, 1013.356, 1013.41, 1013.64, 1013.69, and 1013.738, F.S.; conforming provisions; providing effective dates.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the State Affairs Committee; Appropriations Committee; and Government Operations Subcommittee; Representative **Brodeur**—

CS/CS/HB 7011—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.051, F.S.; limiting the ability of members of an optional retirement program to transfer to the Florida Retirement System; providing for compulsory membership in the Florida Retirement System Investment Plan for employees initially enrolled after a specified date; authorizing certain employees to participate in the investment

plan; amending s. 121.052, F.S.; prohibiting members of the Elected Officers' Class from joining the Senior Management Service Class after a specified date; amending s. 121.055, F.S.; closing the Senior Management Service Optional Annuity Program to new members after a specified date; prohibiting an elected official eligible for membership in the Elected Officers' Class from enrolling in the Senior Management Service Class or in the Senior Management Service Optional Annuity Program; closing the Senior Management Service Optional Annuity Program to new members after a specified date; amending s. 121.35, F.S.; providing that certain participants in the optional retirement program for the State University System have a choice between the optional retirement program and the Florida Retirement System Investment Plan; providing for compulsory membership in the investment plan for certain employees; amending s. 121.4501, F.S.; requiring certain employees initially enrolled in the Florida Retirement System on or after a specified date to be compulsory members of the investment plan; providing for the transfer of certain contributions; revising a provision relating to acknowledgment of an employee's election to participate in the investment plan; requiring the State Board of Administration to develop investment products to be offered in the investment plan; requiring the State Board of Administration to provide a self-directed brokerage account as an investment option; requiring the state board to contract with a provider to provide a self-directed brokerage account investment option; providing self-directed brokerage account requirements; revising the education component; deleting the obligation of system employers to communicate the existence of both retirement plans; providing the state board and the provider of the self-directed brokerage account investment option with certain responsibilities; providing that the state board is not required to deliver certain information regarding the self-directed brokerage account; making conforming changes; removing unnecessary language; amending s. 121.591, F.S.; providing an additional death benefit to specified members of the Special Risk Class; amending ss. 238.072 and 413.051, F.S.; conforming cross-references; adjusting the required employer contribution rates for the unfunded actuarial liability of the Florida Retirement System for select classes; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision and Information; providing that the act does not modify or limit benefits available to current members except as specified; providing that the act fulfills an important state interest; requiring the State Board of Administration and the Department of Management Services to request a determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service; providing effective dates.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

Reference

CS/CS/HB 239—Referred to the Calendar of the House.

CS/HB 301—Referred to the Insurance & Banking Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee; and Health & Human Services Committee.

CS/HB 609—Referred to the Education Appropriations Subcommittee and Education Committee.

CS/HB 863—Referred to the Education Appropriations Subcommittee and Education Committee.

HB 7091—Referred to the Education Appropriations Subcommittee and Education Committee.

Cosponsors

HM 59—O'Toole

HB 155—Gaetz, Hager, Porter

HB 279—Fitzenhagen

HB 539—Fitzenhagen

CS/HB 611—Stone

HB 1119—Ford

HB 1121—Danish

CS/HB 7003—Ahern

HB 7091—Smith

Reports of Standing Committees and Subcommittees

Received March 14:

The Finance & Tax Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 423

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the State Affairs Committee.

The Finance & Tax Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 555

The above bill was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the Economic Affairs Committee.

The Finance & Tax Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 579

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the Appropriations Committee.

The Finance & Tax Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 837

The above bill was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the Local & Federal Affairs Committee.

The Finance & Tax Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 4013

The above bill was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the Economic Affairs Committee.

Received March 15:

The Local & Federal Affairs Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 249 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 249 was laid on the table.

The Health Innovation Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 301 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 301 was laid on the table.

The Regulatory Affairs Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 341 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 341 was laid on the table.

The Higher Education & Workforce Subcommittee reported the following favorably:

HB 359 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 359 was laid on the table.

The Government Operations Subcommittee reported the following favorably:

HB 519 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 519 was laid on the table.

The Local & Federal Affairs Committee reported the following favorably:

CS/HB 537 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, CS/HB 537 was laid on the table.

The State Affairs Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/CS/HB 569 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, CS/CS/HB 569 was laid on the table.

The Civil Justice Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 643 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 643 was laid on the table.

The Healthy Families Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 689 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 689 was laid on the table.

The Civil Justice Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 693 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 693 was laid on the table.

The Business & Professional Regulation Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 695 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 695 was laid on the table.

The Insurance & Banking Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 823 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 823 was laid on the table.

The Insurance & Banking Subcommittee reported the following favorably:

HB 883 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 883 was laid on the table.

The Civil Justice Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 887 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 887 was laid on the table.

The Civil Justice Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 903 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 903 was laid on the table.

The Civil Justice Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 935 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 935 was laid on the table.

The Local & Federal Affairs Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 977 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 977 was laid on the table.

The Local & Federal Affairs Committee reported the following favorably:

HB 1013 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 1013 was laid on the table.

The Civil Justice Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 1125 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 1125 was laid on the table.

The Government Operations Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 1309 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, HB 1309 was laid on the table.

The Education Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 7001 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, CS/HB 7001 was laid on the table.

The State Affairs Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 7011 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.19(c). Under the rule, CS/HB 7011 was laid on the table.

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